Wouldn't put "CHECK ON ICE" FOR RECTOR WINE

Instead, Young Artist Benoit Is Put Away to Cool on Island,

HAD MERRY CHRISTMAS

Three Pints of Bubbles and Cab Ride for Nothing Joy Enough.

"Well anyhow," said Albert Benois squeezed himself into the Jefferson Market Police Court van for Blackwell's Island to-day, "I had s merry Christmas."

an artist, with an artistic tempera-ment. He says his uncle is Chief of Police Lambert, of Montreal, and un-til recently he lived in that city. He came to New York to pursue his artistic inclinations and they led him to settle at No. 2508 Atlantic avenue, Brooklyn Christmas Day in Brookiyn was not a hit with young Mr. Benoit. He came to Manhattan, rode uptown and chartered a cab. Late in the afternoon he directed the driver of the cab to proceed

There was very little doing in Rec-He had stopped in various places on the way and was feeling fit. After checking his coat and hat he took a seat at a table presided over by Emil

he studied ti long and earnestly. Then be ordered a chicken sandwich and a Scotch high ball. He ate the sandwich, drank the high ball and ordered another

Worked Up Wine Appetite.

Chapuls was kept pretty busy carrying high balls to young Mr. Benoit, who flocded himself with about a dozen of them. Then, his artistic temperamen oded wine. He drank three pints Evidently Mr. Benoit had not figured on the result of a combination of Scotor highballs and champagne, which is invariably quite pronounced. The waiter deeming that Mr. Benoit had sufficiently irrigated himself, tendered the check

which amounted to \$12, "Put sheck on ice," said Mr. Benott, grandiloquently. "Ev'rybody knows me." In the desperate hope that Mr. Benot might have some money, he was searched. He yielded up a small bottle of pills, a dollar watch and a near-pearl scarfpin. The cabman, Stewart of his kind, sensed that something was ill amounted to \$3. and he volunteered to drive Benoit to the police station. Avenged the Cabman.

Magistrate Finn was sitting in the raigned. The Magistrate was willing to overlook Benoit's assault upon Ractor's Scotch and champagne, but balked

dead beat."

Under the influence of his sympathy for the cabman—who does not live in Magistrate Finn's Assembly Distriction the Court placed Benoit under bond of \$300 to keep the peace for sixty days. Benoit was unable to reach anybody who would go on his bond and was sentanced to Blackwell's Island.

SENDS SHERIFF

Thinks Tenor Played Him for a "Good Thing" and Is Tired of Being the Goat.

nounced that, on the complaint of Oscar Hammerstein, of the Manhattan Opera-House, the Sheriff had taken into custody Albani, the tenor, who sang there last night with the San Carlos Opera Company,

To an Evening World reporter Mr. Hammerstein explained the matter as Mrs. George Tilden, thirty years old,

"I had a contract with Albani to sing thirfeen-year-old daugster, in a fash- at my opera-house this season. He appeared once or twice and then fell ill. Science of it, Ernant was postponed because of it, was found unconscious in her room this the first post no better and he told afternoon, after an attempt to end her shares and of words \$167,000.

Show Girl Who, Says Broker Stole \$2,200 in Gems from Her Ania Copper Ania Corporation of the Control of the



There was very little doing in Rec-tor's when young Mr. Benoit arrived. has one of Anna Held's fencing girls and that had three husbands to her credit. appeared in the West Side Court yester day against Albert Donald Walk, a

and was held in \$2,000 ball for trial. Miss Brevaine, who did not divulge er present address, said that she lunched with Walk at the Hotel accused of taking two diamond rings jewelry after she left him. Shee had and a watch to the value of \$2,200 from been looking for him ever since, she chatelaine bag. Walk waived ex-averred, with the help of detectives

OVER TO POLICE

SINKS IN MARKE

MISSOURI PACIFIC

Scared When Sonfilito Came to Collect \$500.

last night when he had called at the drive at the issue on the Stock Ex-

called Black Hand letters during the year. There was a fractional rally last two years, and has had the experi- later, but it closed at 415-8. The stock "This cabman," said the Magistrate, ence of losing all the window glass in opened at 47 and held to about that "has been outrageously treated. It was a busy afternoon, and there is no telling how much money be might have made had he not been engaged by this afraid of the Black Hand. When one cribed. bones and the like-came to his place that the board of directors had taken next few days a messenger would call committee: at the store for \$500, and that if the "The grecutive committee herewith

> store, saying he would try and borrow distribution of the cash resources of the the money. Instead he made for a talethe money. Instead he made for a tale-

phone and called the police,
Leau Petrosino, who is the chief of
the Hallan Bureau of the Central Office. looked the prisoner over to-day
and said that Sonfillito had been arrested numerous times. The prisoner
is fifty-years old and lives at No. 33
East One Hundred and Fifteenth street.

to End Life by Gas In Boarding-House.

who has boarded, with her husband and demand

His health got no better and he told me that he could not live in this country. If I held to his contract, he said, he would soon be singing in heaven. He must go to Italy.

Then he wrote me a letter promisting the heave in the said of the said o

Then he wrote me a letter promising that if I would release him, he would return to my company if he got better, and guaranteeing to sing with nobody else in this country. To this I agreed.

"A day or two afterward he called of his money, and asked me to advance him enough for his transportation. This, also, I did.

"The next thing I knew he had gone to Boston and secured an engagement with the San Carlos Opera Company.

"I know I'm a good thing, but even my angello nature rebelled against that and I have instituted proceedings against him.

"Ohl I diressay I shall be touched again, young Iman," sald the smisi laws and called the resist of her motive for heart and the respectation.

The province of the company of the same of the

Terniciaro Was Not a Bit Issue Hammered to Year's Lowest Price on Announcement by Gould.

of the usual letters-red ink, skull and In his announcement Mr. Gould stated Monday the grocer didn't get ex. the action stated pursuant to the folcited. The letter stated that during the lowing recommendation of the executive

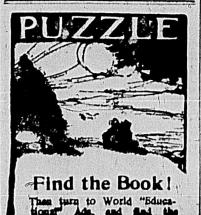
amount wasn't forthcoming Terniciaro transmits statement of operations and would lose his wife and children by the bomb treatment.

The messanger came to the store last night in the person of Sonfillito. The grocer said he was strapped and Sonfillito told him to get busy and scare up at least \$50. Terniciaro left the store is saying he would try and borrow.

was rather slow to-day. A decline in New York Central of 11-5 affected the general tone, and Missouri Pacific fell 5-8. There was a sufficient mixture of small gains, however, to give the market an irregular appearance. The Lon-Young Married Woman Tries don stock market remained closed, and this subtracted from the usual source of business.

Later Sugar figured with New York Central as a factor in depressing the list and checking a slight rally. Thru lesus was off 13-8. Heading was the bright spot and market, being in fair lonal gain.

The Closing Prices.



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braid or storm

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